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Subject: RE: [External] FW: EPA concurrence on the MSGP

Thank you very much for all your support on this matter.

From: Price-Fay, Michelle <Price-Fay.Michelle@epa.gov>
Sent: Thursday, September 10, 2020 7:43 AM
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Yogesh,

I apologize for this delay. Jay Patel in PA got the excellent news on Tuesday that we concurred on your permit. Please see below.

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From: Price-Fay, Michelle
Sent: Tuesday, September 08, 2020 1:08 PM
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Yogesh,

In accordance with the Memorandum of Agreement and federal regulations, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) Region III has received final revisions to the draft National Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (NPDES) permit modification for the Multi-Sector General Permit. Dates for submission and review for this permit are found below:

WEST VIRGINIA/NPDES MULTI-SECTOR GENERAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL PERMIT NUMBER WV0111457
Complete revised package submitted to EPA on: September 4, 2020
EPA comments period closes for package review: October 28, 2020

EPA originally received revisions to the draft permit documents via email September 3, and provided minor edits/comments. The latest version of the documents, received September 4, reflect EPA's final comments. At this time,

EPA accepts the final versions that were received September 4, 2020 and by this email is providing our concurrence with the draft final documents.

At this time, WVDEP should proceed to public notice of the documents to continue the modification process. As EPA has stated in previous correspondence, this permit modification is not considered a minor modification under 40 CFR 122.63. Because the revisions do not meet the criteria for minor modification, the documents must be published for public notice and comment. If there are any changes to the permit or fact sheet as a result of the public process, the permit and fact sheet must be provided to EPA for review and comment prior to finalization.

Please reach out to me or Liz Ottinger, copied on this email, if you have any further questions or concerns.

Sincerely,
Michelle

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